UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

DONNA BAKER,)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	C.A. No. 11-10899-JCB
)	
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,)	
Defendant.)	

PROCEDURAL ORDER

Plaintiff has filed a Complaint, but has not paid the \$350.00 filing fee, <u>see</u> 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a) (\$350.00 filing fee for all non-habeas civil actions), or filed a motion for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee, <u>see</u> 28 U.S.C. § 1915 (proceedings <u>in forma pauperis</u>).

Accordingly, plaintiff must either (1) pay the \$350.00 filing fee; or (2) move for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee. Failure of plaintiff to comply with this directive within 21 days of the date of this Procedural Order may result in the dismissal of this action.

If plaintiff elects to seek <u>in forma pauperis</u> status, plaintiff must submit an affidavit that includes a statement of all plaintiff's assets. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1). For the convenience of litigants, this Court provides a form application to seek leave to proceed <u>in forma pauperis</u>. The Clerk shall provide plaintiff with an Application to Proceed in District Court Without Prepaying Fees or Costs.

SO ORDERED.

May 20, 2011
DATE
/s/ Jennifer C. Boal
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE